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Inauguration set Sunday

Fort Hays State and the City of Hays head into one of the biggest events of recent years Sunday with the beginning of a week-long observance of the inauguration of Dr. John W. Gustad as the fifth president of FHSC.

The activities open with Sunday's investiture of office at 3 p.m. in Lewis Field Stadium and close with a formal banquet next Friday sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. The events will continue through the fall honoring the new president and his family with an alumni reception planned for Homecoming weekend.

Highlights of Sunday's program in addition to the investiture of office for Dr. Gustad include a major address by Dr. Walt W. Rostow, professor at the University of Texas and former advisor to presidents Kennedy and Johnson; greetings from the faculty, student body, alumni, other state colleges and universities and the State of Kansas; and a response by Dr. Gustad.

Included in the platform party will be the members of the Board of Regents, Gov. Robert Docking, and presidents of the state colleges and universities.

Dr. Rostow will discuss "The Irrelevance of Relevance," while Dr. Gustad's title is "Our Object Is Man."

Chancellor E. Laurence Chalmers of the University of Kansas opens Monday's activities with a convocation address at 10 a.m. in Sheridan Coliseum. The newly inaugurated chancellor will discuss "The Relevance of Recognition."

Honor societies will fete Dr. Gustad Monday evening with a banquet at the Vagabond Restaurant.

The other featured convocation speaker, Dr. O. Meredith Wilson, President and Director of the Center for the Behavioral Sciences at Stanford, Calif., speaks at 8 p.m. Wednesday, also in Sheridan Coliseum. The former president of the Universities of Oregon and Minnesota.

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Program of events

INAUGURATION 1969

Sunday

3 p.m. INAUGURATION—LEWIS FIELD STADIUM
"The Irrelevance of the Revelant," Inaugural Address by Dr. Walt W. Rostow, Professor of History and Economics, University of Texas.

Monday

10 a.m. CONVOCATION — SHERIDAN COLISEUM
"The Relevance of Recognition," Address by Dr. E. Laurence Chalmers, Jr., Chancellor, University of Kansas.
6 p.m. HONOR SOCIETIES BANQUET—Vagabond Restaurant
Address by Dr. John W. Gustad, President, Fort Hays Kansas State College.

Tuesday

4 p.m. FACULTY SYMPOSIUM—FELTEN-START THEATER
"The Indian Battalion on the Santa Fe Trail, 1847-1848," Scholarly Paper by Dr. Leo Oliva, Professor of History, Fort Hays Kansas State College.
7 & 8:30 p.m. ORGAN RECITAL—MALLOY RECITAL HALL
Dr. William Wilkins, Professor of Music, Fort Hays Kansas State College.

Wednesday

4 p.m. FACULTY SYMPOSIUM—FELTEN-START THEATER
"How Can You Be So Sure You're Right?," Scholarly Paper by Dr. Samuel Sackett, Professor of English, Fort Hays Kansas State College.
8 p.m. CONVOCATION — SHERIDAN COLISEUM
"Education and the Evolution of a Democratic Society," Address by Dr. O. Meredith Wilson, President and Director of the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford, Calif.

Thursday

4 p.m. FACULTY SYMPOSIUM — FELTEN-START THEATER
"The Grasslands of Kansas," Scholarly Paper by Dr. Gerald W. Tomarek, Chairman of the Division of Biological Science, Fort Hays Kansas State College.
8 p.m. RECITAL — FELTEN-START THEATER
Voice Faculty of the Division of Music, Fort Hays Kansas State College.

Friday

6:30 p.m. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET
"Colleges and Their Communities," Address by Dr. John W. Gustad, President, Fort Hays Kansas State College.



Dr. John W. Gustad

FHS's Fifth President

Intensive cram course

Week requires planning

Since presidential inaugurations aren't everyday occurrences at any college and downright rare at Fort Hays State College, it requires not only planning, but an intensive cram course on the subject for the planners.

Dr. Neil Walker, president of the faculty association, began planning the event last spring. Following a session with President-Elect Dr. John W. Gustad, the idea for a week-long celebration was blocked out to include all areas of campus life.

The steering committee included Mrs. Maxine Hoffman, head of the home economics department, Dean of the Faculty John W. Garwood, associate professor of art John Thorns, Chairman of the Division of Language, Literature and Speech Dr. William R. Thompson, Director of Field Service Ralph "Red" Huffman, Director of Information Services Thomas R. Hartley, and student body president-elect Steven Rayl.

Responsibilities Assigned

Some of the responsibilities fell into logical areas such as Mrs. Hoffman's planning of banquets, teas and luncheons and Hartley's direction of printing and publicity. Others were further afield, however. Thorns was charged with the protocol for the event including line of march, order of events and

the actual ceremony and consultation in the design and selection of printed material.

Dr. Garwood found himself in consultation with representatives of the Alumni and Endowment associations as he prepared the guest list, but both for official delegates and special friends of the college. He and his committee also poured through encyclopedias of associations and learned societies, directors of school and colleges, and a special list prepared by the Gustade which included friends and past associates.

Rayl was marshalling student honors and service groups to act as ushers, guides, drivers and hosts for the events. Huffman, who is also president of the Chamber of Commerce, had a banquet to plan and town and gown relations to keep moving smoothly.

Dignitaries To Speak

Dr. Thompson was charged with his major project early in the planning stages as he rounded up three visiting dignitaries for major addresses and a trio of nationally recognized faculty members to present scholarly papers during the week-long program. The schedule stayed flexible during the early days as the committee worked within a three-week framework in late September and early October. Dr. Thompson was the man who

set the date as he secured Dr. Walt W. Rostow as the inauguration speaker. Oct. 5 was agreed upon as the date for the opening of the festivities with the formal investiture slated for that Sunday. Chancellor E. Laurence Chalmers of the University of Kansas agreed to stay in Hays on the day following the inauguration to carry the second day's program with a major convocation address.

Another well-known educator, Dr. O. Meredith Wilson, President and Director of the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences at Stanford, was secured for a mid-week appearance.

In addition to the three faculty papers, Thompson also arranged for two music programs during the week which will feature members of the Division of Music faculty.

Funds Secured

In the background during all of this activity, Dr. Walker was keeping all of the pieces together, raising money for the activities so that state funds would not be used, and acting as liaison with the board of regents. Dr. Walker's secretary noted that he was getting a cauliflower ear from his marathon telephone conversations. One of the committee members remarked that Dr. Walker had been giving a few cauliflower ears while getting one of his own.

Dr. Walt R. Rostow to discuss problems of administration

Dr. Walt W. Rostow, professor of history and economics at the University of Texas, reflects on the continuing problems facing new administrators in his inaugural address at the investiture of Dr. John W. Gustad as fifth president of Fort Hays Kansas State College at 3 p.m. Sunday, in Lewis Field Stadium.

"The Irrelevance of the Reve-

lant," is the title of the address by the former presidential assistant to John F. Kennedy and Lyndon B. Johnson.

Concern With Issues

One observer has noted that Dr. Rostow's concern with great issues involving U. S. politics and world diplomacy affords listeners a rare insight. As a government figure he served as a State Department

counselor and chairman of the Policy Planning Council.

His career combines posts at Columbia, Oxford and Cambridge Universities and Massachusetts Institute of Technology with Army service in the OSS and responsibilities as the U. S. delegate to the Economic Commission for Europe and the Inter-American Commission of the Alliance for Progress in Latin America.

Rhodes Scholar

Dr. Rostow holds bachelor's and doctor's degrees from Yale and was a Rhodes scholar at Balliol College, England.

His books include the American Diplomatic Revolution; Essays on the British Economy of the Nineteenth Century; The Process of Economic Growth; The Growth and Fluctuation of the British Economy, 1790-1850; The Dynamics of Soviet Society; The Prospects for Community China; American Policy in Asia; A Proposal: Key to an Effective Foreign Policy; The United States in the World Arena; The Stages of Economic Growth; View from the Seventh Floor; A Design for Asian Development; and editor of The Economics of Take-Off Into Sustained Growth.



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President's speeches

President John W. Gustad will speak three times during the week-long inauguration program which begins Sunday.

His first engagement is the inaugural response following his investiture at 3 p.m. Sunday at Lewis Field Stadium. The title of his talk is, "Our Object Is Man."

Monday at 6:30 President Gus-

tad will address an Honor Societies Banquet at the Vagabond Inn.

President Gustad's final address of the week is at 7 p.m. Friday at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall where he will speak at a Chamber of Commerce Banquet. The title of his talk is, "Colleges And Their Communities."

The Sunday inauguration and the Friday Chamber of Commerce Banquet are open to the public. However, reservations must be made through the Hays Chamber of Commerce Office for the Friday evening program.

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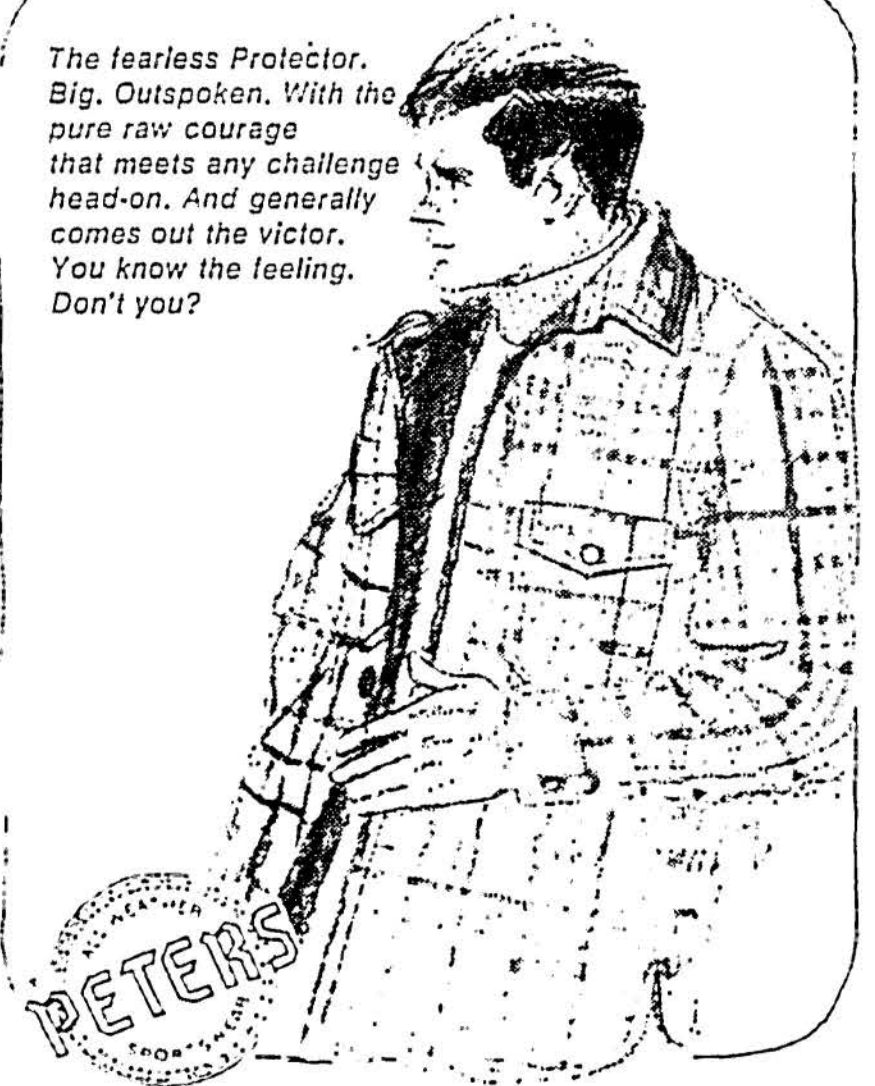
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Social events will provide flavor for inauguration

Three events — a luncheon, reception and banquet — will provide the social atmosphere for the inauguration of President John W. Gustad.

More than 300 dignitaries will be guests at a 1 p.m. luncheon Sunday in McMindes Hall. Fort Hays State College will be host to all platform guests, members of the Kansas Board of Regents, representatives of colleges and universities and delegates from learned societies and associations.

No Program Planned

No program is planned for this event as the guests will move on to the major event of the day — the inauguration.

Following the ceremonies in Lewis Field Stadium, visiting dignitaries, members of the FHS Faculty Association and spouses will

attend a reception from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at Smoky Hill Country Club. The Faculty Association is host for this courtesy and approximately 500 persons are expected.

Honors Banquet

The third function concerns campus personnel only and is set for 6:30 p.m. Monday at the Vagabond Restaurant. This is the Honors Banquet, sponsored by Phi Kappa Phi. The guest list of 125 includes representatives and sponsors of all honor societies on campus and all Phi Kappa Phi members.

President Gustad will be the speaker.

All three social events have been planned by a committee headed by Mrs. Maxine Hoffman, professor of home economics, assisted by Mrs. Neil Walker, Mrs. Alice McFarland, Miss Ethel Artman and Miss June Krebs.

A final social courtesy honoring President and Mrs. Gustad will be hosted by the Alumni Association, and will be a reception in connection with Homecoming festivities Oct. 18. Alumni and friends of the college are invited to meet the Gustads in the Memorial Union, following the afternoon football game.



DR. NEIL WALKER, president of the Fort Hays State Faculty Assn., will bring greetings to Dr. John W. Gustad on behalf of the faculty at Sunday's inauguration of the fifth president of FHS. Dr. Walker also serves as general chairman of the inauguration steering committee.

Californian to speak

Insight into "The Education and Evolution of a Democratic Society," will be furnished by Dr. O. Meredith Wilson at a Wednesday night convocation at Fort Hays State College.

The appearance of Dr. Wilson, President and Director of the Center for Behavioral Sciences at Stanford, is a part of the inauguration week program at FHSC. The address is slated for 8 p.m. in Sheridan Coliseum.

Dr. Wilson has been head of the "think tank" at Stanford since 1967. Prior to his present assignment he served as president of the University of Oregon from 1954 to 1960, and president of the University of Minnesota from 1960 to 1967. He also has held faculty positions at Brigham Young University and the Universities of Utah and Chicago.

Born in Colonia Juarez, Chihuahua, Mexico in 1909, Dr. Wilson received his bachelor's degree from BYU and his doctorate from the University of California. He also did graduate work at the Universities of London and Heidelberg.

Dr. Wilson serves on the board of trustees of the Northern States Power Co., of Minneapolis, Minn., the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, Universities Research Association, Inc., University of Notre Dame, St. Louis University, and the American College Testing Program.

He is chairman of the board and Federal Reserve Agent of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco.

Inauguration set Sunday . . .

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nesota will discuss "Education and the Evolution of a Democratic Society."

Three nationally known members of the Fort Hays State faculty present scholarly papers at a series of faculty symposiums Tuesday through Thursday afternoons at 4 p.m. in Felten-Start Theater. Dr. Leo Oliva, professor of history, opens the series with "The Indian Battalion on the Santa Fe Trail, 1847-1848." "How Can You Be So Sure You're Right?" is the title of Wednesday's paper by Dr. Samuel Sackett, professor of English. Dr. Gerald Tomanek, professor of biology, has slated an illustrated presentation on "The Grasslands

of Kansas." Presentation of each paper will be followed by discussion from the floor.

The music faculty will present recitals on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Dr. William Wilkins has scheduled an organ recital at 7 and 8:30, Tuesday. Members of the voice faculty, accompanied by members of the instrumental faculty will appear at 8 p.m. Thursday.

Dr. Gustad will be both the honored guest and featured speaker at Friday's Chamber banquet. "Colleges and Their Communities," will be the title of his address to the members of the business and professional community at 7 p.m. in the Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall.

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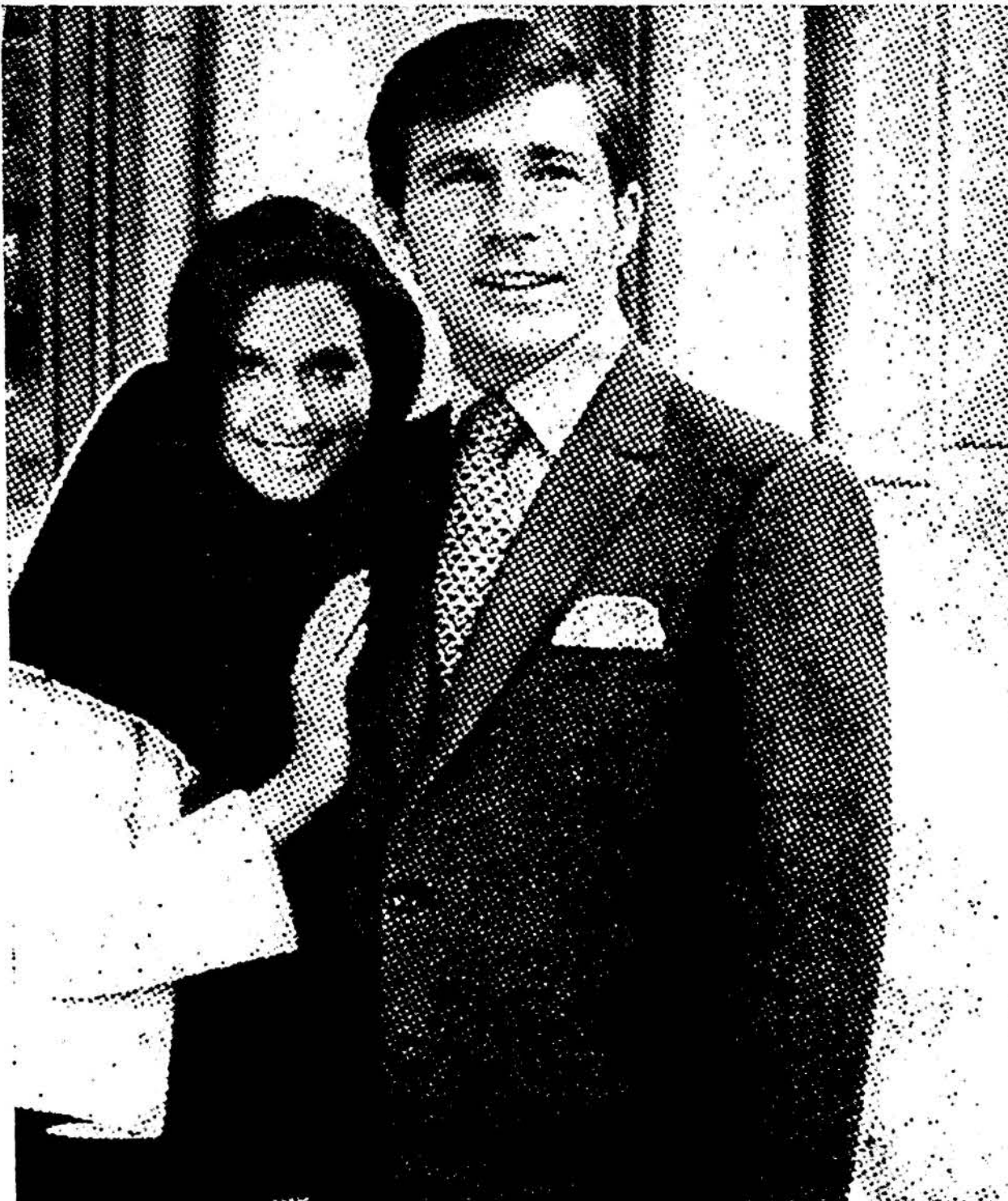
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